tree, the top log measuring four and a half feet at the small end; and yet there the river, and ranges from two to five miles in width.

The Ohio papers state that January 10th was the coldest day in that State for twenty-five years. The ther-

Jeff. Davis, Secretary of War, has been elected a United States Senator from Mississippi. Will he resign his post in the War Department?

Organization of the House.

There is a rumor affoat that Banks has been elected Speaker of the House of Representatives. We have received no definite information in regard to the matter, and can only hope it is true.

Prospects of a Fight.

The prospects for a skirmish with Great Britain, it is said, are daily increasing; and it seems almost inevitable, that a war between the United States and her Britanic Majesty, will break out. Great Britain has lately made a large increase of the British West India fleet: she treats our late complaints of her vio-lation of our neutrality laws with contempt; disregards the provisions of her treaty with us, respecting the Central American affairs; and it is understood that, under the disorganized state of Congress, the Executive discountenances all arther intercouse with that Power, Our Minister is recalled, and the passports are sent to Mr. Crampton, the British Minister :- all these things show a very hostile attitude between the two governthere seems to be an inevitable necessity preliminary statements. for a collision, unless some unforseen casualty takes place .- Occidental Mes-

A Challenge.

We "write, print, publish and circuto the contrary.—tf.

Popular Sovereignty in Kansas.

welve months will not elapse before which Dr. Robinson had just written, I Taylor Corresponding Secretary. ar, civil war of the fiercest kind, will signed it; but it was distinctly under- The following resolutions were then upon us. We are arming and pre-stood that it had no application to any-offered and adopted:

Resolved, That we will support no unties are prepared. We must have rence that night.

Speed & Garrett hauled an oak log and his utter lapse from the confidence of both the contending parties, it is slyly hinted, by some, that he has returned to day, measuring five and a half feet in diameter at the largest end. Three conduct, in the recent Kansas troubles, and J. H. Lane to repel the threatened attack on the town of Lawrence. It was day of January, 1856, as provided for by the Convention which met at Topeka to make a constitution, adopt a Bill of the capital, to resign his position as Governor estore harmony and confidence. It Rights for the people of Kansas, and diameter at the largest end. Three twelve feet logs were cut from the same out, he will be presented in an attitude this pretended attack upon the town was tion of a State Government, preparatory

"is no timber in 'Kansas!" Mr. Speer to the reporter of the New York Herald, by gentlemen and by grateful hearts, said election, has been chosen Governor; says he never saw better timber in Ohio in explanation of his conduct during the and not by tricksters, who, with fraudu- and that William Y. Roberts, having rethan that on the north side of the Kan- late troubles in Kansas. The commis- lent representations, were seeking to ob- ceived the highest number of votes castat sas, which extends for many miles along sion which he gave Dr. Robinson and tain advantage over me. I was the last said election, has been chosen Lieuten-Gen. Lane, reads thus:

To C. Robinson and J. H. Lane, Com-Lawrence:

You are hereby authorized and directed to take such measures and use the enrolled forces under your command in such mometers ranged from 20 to 30 degrees manner, for the preservation of the peace and the protection of the persons and property of the people in Lawrence and its vicinity, as in your judgment shall best secure that end.

WILSON SHANNON. Lawrence, Dec. 19, 1855.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, Shawnee Mission,) December 25, 1855.

DEAR SIR: Your favor of this day's date is before me. In reply, I have to has, I presume, been shown by Dr. Rob- ton, having received the highest number state that the arrangements of the diffi- inson, and copies permitted to have been of votes cast at said election, was choculty with the citizens assembled in the taken and used, as a purpose of giving an sen as Reporter of the Supreme Court; town of Lawrence during the recent dis- air of legality to the acts of the citizens and that S. B. Floyd, having received the turbances was reduced to writing by my. assembled in Lawrence previous to its highest number of votes cast at said elecself, and intended to be on liberal terms, date. No such purpose was contemplation has been chosen Clerk of the Supreme honorable alike to all parties. In my ar- ted by me, and I repeat, that the paper Court; and that John Speer, having rerangement with them, my great object was only intended to apply to the ceived the highest number of the votes cast alleged threatening of the town of Lawand bring about, if possible, a more friendly feeling between the two conflicts.

The control of the law and bring about, if possible, a more friendly feeling between the two conflicts.

The control of the law and the law are force, on the night of the law and the law are friendly feeling between the two conflicts.

The control of the law are force, on the night of the law are force to the l ing parties, and thus secure a lasting peace and amicable relations. I knew an exhibition of base ingratitude and low mentioned, and that they be and appear, that this object would be defeated by insisting on any terms that would be hu- the name of every one connected with it. mentioned, at the city of Topeka, Kanmiliating to the parties concerned, and I was determined to extend to the citizens assembled in Lawrence every opportunity for placing themselves in what I deemed a correct position in reference to the execution of the laws. The paper which was shown you was probably a correct copy of the arrangement entered into on the 8th inst.

As to the paper dated on the 9th inst. and purporting to be addressed to C. Robments. It is said that Lord Palmerston, inson and J. H. Lane, I desire to make the Premier of England, will lay the an explanation, so as to present the truth subject of the treaty, respecting which in relation to the manner in which it was the difficulty primarily arises, before the obtained, as well as my object in signing purpose of organizing a party upon that Parliament, and urge the correctness of it. In order to understand this matter. the British interpretation. In this case, it is necessary that I should make some by E. C. Taylor, when, on motion, Jo-

On the morning of the 9th, about sunrise. I issued my orders for dishanding publish it, not knowing but it may be they did, in good order. About 10 o'thinking, no doubt, attention could be diverted from the "Western Border."— slavery party, I spent a considerable portion of the day. In the evening I was several others followed, all of whom invited to attend a social gathering of favored an immediate organization in While threatened with an intestine war ladies and gentlemen of the town of Law- both County and Territory.

The North will not consent to get involved to attend a social gathering of lavored an immediate organization in both County and Territory.

On motion, Rufus More, E. C. Taylor would certainly prove the death-knell of the company assembled. The time was serve taken up singly, and unanimously spent in the most friendly and social adopted:—

sanctioning, or even permitting, slavery son came to me, and in a state of appar- men, and that the government of the ed by the butchery of R. P. Brown, -notwithstanding the enactments of the ent excitement, declared their picket United States is not an exception. Largestal Legislature, therefore, every guard had just come in and reported that 2nd. That slavery is a moral, political person held in involuntary servitude in there was a large, irregular force, near and social evil, utterly subversive of the Kansas, contrary to his will, is, by right and law, as free as his master, and has of Lawrence claimed the protection of a crime against God, and a crime against man. as good a right to maintain and exercise the executive, and to this end desired me | 3d. That at the time of the formation that right, and should do so if he has a to give himself and Col. Lane written of the Constitution, on account of the permission to repel the threatened assault. inability of some of the States to effect I replied to Dr. Robinson that they did an immediate eradication of slavery, the not require any authority from me, as existence of which all deeply deplored, they would be entirely justified in repelit was, in them, impliedly recognized; yer and editor, and challenge and defy ling by force any attack upon their town; and that as it has since been permitted Gov. Shannon, and Suple Jones, to show that the law of self-preservation was suf- by enactments irrepealable in their naficient, and that any authority which I ture, to exist in those slave States since == might give would add nothing to its admitted into the Union, the Federal strength. The Doctor replied that they Government has now no control whatev-The following is an extract from a let- had been represented as having arrayed er over it in the States in which it now er being published in the Southern themselves against the laws and public exists. States, accompanied by newspaper apofficers of the Territory, and that he,
peals to "Send Armed Men to Kansas": therefore, wished me to give him written
"Let your young men come forth to authority to repel the threatened assault, Committee, to consist of a President, Miscouri and Kausas! Let them come so that it might appear hereafter, if a Secretary, Treasurer, and Corresponding well armed, with money enough to sup- rencontre did take place, that they were Secretary, who shall serve until the 22d port them for twelve months, and deternot acting against, but with the approbation of February 1857,
mined to see this thing out! One huntion of the Territorial executive. With

the support of the South. We are fight-ing the battles of the South. Our insti-Dr. Robinson, as one of the committee platform and Resolutions. cons are at stake. You far Southern on behalf of the citizens assembled in Regolved, That the friends of freedom but if we fail, it will reach your own if the people of that place would ac-doors, perhaps your hearths. We want knowledge the validity of the Territorial and to correspond with the Executive nen, armed men. We want money; laws until otherwise determined by legit-lot for ourselves, but to support our imate authority, and would place themfriends who may come from a distance. selves under their protection, I would ference of the residents of Missouri in law now in this house two gallant exert all the power vested in me to protection. South Cartest the citizens of that town, both in Territory, as the darkest treason, and They are citizens of Kansas, and their persons and property, and in secur- that we desply sympathize with the latill remain so until her destiny is fixed. ing them from an attack. And I will ter, and that we admire the noble stand Let your young men come on in here state that an arrangement had been they have taken in defense of their rights lands as fast as they can be raised, well made with those assembled in Lawrence, and in disregard of the so-called laws Added as fast as they can be raised, well armed. We want none but true men. Yours truly, D. R. ATCHISON."

"P. S.—I would not be astonished if this day haid the ground-work for a guerlilla war in Kansas. I have heard rumors of a strife and battle at Leavenworth, been miles from this place, but the ice is running in the Missouri river, and I have nothing definite. I was a peacemaker in the difficulty lately settled by Gov. Shannon. I counciled the 'Ruffan' to forbearance, but I will never gain council peace.

I was under those assembled in Lawrence, and in disregard of the so-called laws enacted by a mock Legislature from a foreign State.

Resolved, That copies of the minutes of the proceedings of this meeting be sent to the Nebraska City News, Council Bluffs Chronotype, National Era, Kansas Herald of Freedom, and New York Tribune for publication.

The meeting, on motion, then adjourned to meet again on the evening of the so-called laws and in disregard of the so-called laws enacted by a mock Legislature from a foreign State.

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The meeting, on motion, then adjourned to meet again on the evening of the 22d of February next.

J. T. CANNON, Chairman.

J. H. Kaul, Secretary.

void all cause of complaint on the part Gov. Shannon.

A few weeks ago Gov. Shannon left the Territory, on a trip to Washington city. Since the great duplicity in his conduct, in the recent Kansas troubles, and J. H. Lane to repel the threatened precincts of said Territory, on the 15th

little less amiable than his predecessor. but a device to obtain from me a paper to the admission of Kansas into the In justice to Gov. Shannon, we give which might be used to my prejudice. Union," that Charles Robinson, having below a statement furnished by himself I supposed at the time I was surrounded received the highest number of votes cast at man on the globe who deserved such ant Governor; and that Phillip C. Schuytreatment from the citizens of Lawrence. ler, having received the highest number manders of the enrolled citizens of For four days and nights, at the cost of of votes cast at said election, was chomany valuable friends, whose good will sen as Secretary of State; and that I have forfeited by favoring too pacific a George A. Catler, having received the course, I had labored most incessantly to highest number of votes cast at said elecsave their town from destruction and their tion, was chosen as Auditor of State; and that John A. Wakefield, having received

citizens from a bloody fight. On the next morning after this trans- the highest humber of votes cast at whatever had ever made its appearance received the highest number of votes cast before Lawrence upon the night before; at said election, was chosen as Attorney

This paper, obtained as I have stated, the Sun Court; and that E. M. Thurs-Yours, with great respect, Sas, 6 WILSON SHANNON. 1856.

Correspondence.

For the Herald of Freedom. Republican Meeting in Nebraska. sas, on the 4th day of March, A. D.

Given under my hand at the office

of the Executive Committee of Kan-

sas Territory, this 6th day of February, A. D. 1856.

J. K. Goodin, Secretary,

. Proclamation.

OFFICE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,)

LAWRENCE, K. T., Feb. 8, 1856.

By authority vested in me as Chair-

of January A. D. 1856, as provided for

Given under my hand the day and

Proclamation.

LAWRENCE, K. T., Feb. 7, 1856.

Given under my hand the day and

Ch'n Ex. Com.

year above written, J. H. LANE.

Acknowledgement

Week ending Feb. 8, '56.

Of Receipts for HERALD OF FREEDOM

J. K. Goodin, Sec'y.

J. A. Wakefield, Lawrence,

Geo. McCowan, Grass Valley, Cal.

H. A. Castle, Farmington, Itl.,

John Goodin, Kenton, Ohio., Wm. Storrs, Momence, Ill.,

BEANS-\$3 50 2 bush.

ed pork, 15c. Laro-15c. W lb.

ite, 12c.

TALLOW-121/c. 2 B.

DRIED PEACHES -\$3 50 P bush.

A. Yeung, Jr., Washington, Iowa, Journal, Jamestown, N. Y.,

Wm. B. Bedgood, Rockhouse Prarie, Mo., Wm. B. Bedgood, Rockhouse Prarie, Mo.,

Prices Eurrent.

Conv.-50@75c@ b; corn meal \$1,00 @ 50 lbs

FLOUR-In sacks, \$6 25 W hundred; super

MoLASSES-Sugar-house, 75c.; golden syrup

DAR SOAF—10@120. g 15.
COARRE BOOTS—88@\$3 50 \$\text{Pair.}
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BUTFALO RORRS—\$3@\$8.
CALICOES—10@15c. \$\text{Vd.}
DELANES—\$5@35c. \$\text{Vd.}
SHERTINGS—COARRO, \$\text{S@12c.}\text{domest}
cached 10\text{DE15.}

BURNING FLUID—\$1 25 % gall.

IRON—Bar, Se.; round and square, 9@10c.;
ail rod 121/c.

NAILS—\$8 % hundred.

Hiddes—Dried, Sc.; green, 40

HAY—\$8@216 % ton.

Hidde-Dried, Sc.; green, 40
HAY-\$8@\$10 W ton.
LUMBER-\$25@35 W thousand ft.
Hand Wood-\$3 00 W cord.
Shor-121/c. W lb.; lead, 10c.; powder 35@50
Wisdow Sase-8@10c. W light.
Poravors-ligh, \$1.
Squash-ic. W E.
Green Apples-\$1@\$1.25 W bush.

SHEETINGS Coar eached, 10@15c.

LAMP OIL-\$1 25 \$ gall.

LAWRENCE, February 9, 1856.

Daniel Lowe, P. Richmond Brooks,

J. K. GOODIN, Secretary.

resentative.

J. H. LANE,

Ch'n Ex. Com. K. T.

The citizens of Otos county, Nebraska, who are opposed to the extension of the institution of slavery, met at the High School room in Nebraska City, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 23d, 1856, for the basis. The meeting was called to order SEPH T. CANNON was called to the Chair,

and J. H. Kagi elected Secretary. E. C. Taylor then stated the object of the forces assembled around Lawrence. the meeting, and was followed by J. H. We give no credence to the above report, and yet have deemed it advisable port, and yet have deemed it advisable port, and yet have deemed it advisable to any of the forces at that place had retired. This slavery question, and urged the immediation of a State Government preparatory on short notice, and can be forwarded to any ate organization of a Republican clock, A. M., of that day (it being Sun- which would operate as far as the limittrue. We have no doubt Frank Pierce day,) I went in company with Brigadier ed political privileges of the Territory the highest number of votes cast at said true. We have no doubt Frank Pierce day.) I went in company with Brigadier ed political privileges of the Territory the highest number of votes cast at said No. 3, " steel will admit, and be prepared to aid the election for Representative to the 34th No. 3, " steel will admit, and be prepared to aid the states and is No. 5 American." in a controversy with Great Britain, with Sheriff Jones and others of the pro- Auti-Slavery people of the States imme-

in a controversy with a foreign power.— Hotel, which I accepted. There were and J. H. Kagi were appointed a committee to draft resolutions expressive of were small and in the third story, and the sentiments of the meeting. The to venture a contest at this time, for it were, therefore, very much crowded by committee reported the following, which

manner, and it seemed to be a matter of congratulation on every side that the dif-"Slavery is a creature of the muncipal ficulties so lately threatened had at length with certain inalienable rights-among Easton, in said District, on SATURlaw, and cannot exist in the absence of been brought to a happy termination. which are life, liberty, and the pursuit DAY, the 231 day of February, 1856, such law." There is no law in Kansas In the midst of this convivial party, and of happiness; and that to secure these to elect a member of the House of Repabout 10 o'clock at night, Dr. C. Robin- rights, governments are instituted among resentatives to fill the vacancy occasion-

red true men will be an acquisition .- this view, amid an excited throng, in a chosen, of which Joseph T. Cannon was The more, the better. I do not see how small and crowded apartment, and with- made President, J. H. Kagi Secretary, e are to avoid civil war. Come it will. out any critical examination of the paper A. B. B. Mayhew Treasurer, and E. C.

man for any office of trust or profit who

New Adgertisements.

Cheap, and no Mistake. THE Public are informed that from a this date, Groceries of all a sold at a very small advance if Stearns', 19 Massachusetts street. gent need of money.

I have just received a new lot of an Flour, the Meal, Dried Apples, Lard, &c. C. STRARNS. F. C. LEADERATER. Simmons & Leadbeater,

and Wholesale Grocers, Kaneas City, Mo., bove the American Hotel. Refer to Messrs. F. A. Hunt & Co., St. Louis; Refer to Messrs. F. A. Hunt & Co., St. Louis; C. B. Hurrell, Jr., Esq., Gen. S. C. Pomeroy, Kinsse Territory.

Messrs. Springman & Brown, Cincinnati, O. Agent for the St. Louis ready-made houses.—
Having erected a large Stene Warehouse, all goods consigned to them will be safely stored till called for, or forwarded on boats up the Kansas River, or otherwise. feb9 '55-1y

TORWARDING and Commission Merchan

Fruit Trees for Sale.

THE subscriber would announce to the citizens of Kansas that he has located his Nursery south west of Lawrence, near the mouth of Washington Creek, where he holds himself in action took place, upon the most dilligent said election, was chosen as Treasurer of I have some Fifty-Five Thousand trees, from inquiry, I could not learn that any force State; and that H. Miles Moore, having one to two years old, from the graft of the most approved varieties in the country. These trees are small, and those wishing to save twenty-five before Lawrence upon the night before; at said election, was chosen as Attorney and on a full inquiry into the matter since, I am now satisfied that there was no hostile party at any place near Lawrence on the night of the 9th.

This paper, obtained as I have stated,

Information Wanted.

HOULD this notice meet the eye of Wm Jenkinson, who left Columbiana County, O., for Kansas T., it is to let him know that I have for Kansas I., It is to set him know that I have received no letter from him since he wrote from St. Louis, and know nothing of his whereabouts so as to write to him. R. G. JENKINSON. New Waterford, Columbiana Co., O. febs it

Letter Writers, Observe! DLACK WRITING INK, of a superior quality, which has never been frozen, for sale by the pint, quart or gallon, in bottles, or other-wise at the lowest rates, at the Henalb or Free-box Office. Inkstands filled for five cents a deca. The ink will not fade, contains no acid is the best in use for steel pens, and is warranted all it is represented to be, and if it proves otherwise the money will be refunded. Old ink bottles wanted in exchange for ink. Feb. 2, '55-tf'

F. Gallup, Westport, Mo., DEALER in Clocks. Watches and Jewelry, is clocks, watches or jewelry. All work entrusted to his see will be warranted to give satisfaction. So Agent for the sale of Hall & Dodd's Patent Concrete Fire and Burglar Proof Safes. Feb. 2, 1856.-6m

JOHN DEERE'S CELEBRATED MOLINE PLOW WHICH WAS AWARDED THREE FIRST PREMICES

THE subscriber is permanently located at A Moline, on the Mississippi river, three miles above Rock Island, and being the Pioneer Plow maker in the Western States—having been enman of the Executive Committee of Kansas Territory, I do hereby proclaim that gaged exclusively in the Piow making business in this State for the last eighteen years—he flatat an election held in the several precincts of said Territory, on the 15th day ters himself that with his present facilities he is able to offer the farming community a larger and better assortment of Plows than any other by the Convention which met at Topeka manufacturer in the West. The very best of stock is now used, and none but the best an-"to frame a Constitution, adopt a Bill of most experienced workmen are employed in their manufacture. Any of the following list Rights for the people of Kansas, and

ion," that MARK W. DELAHAY received No. 1, German steel steel land-side clippers Congress of the United States and is No. 5, American " hereby declared duly elected as said Rep- No. 6, No. 9, German e. steel, deep tiller, elipper style Double and single shovel plows, 8 and 5 tootl

year above written. J. H. LANE, Chairman Ex. Committee. MIOHIGAN DOUBLE PLOW, in the western States, he would call the attention of Farmers and others interested to the merits of this Plow. When used as a breaking plow, it turns the sod over into the bottom of OFFICE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,) The voters of the 12th Senatorial the furrow, and the back plow brings up the sod loose and covers it completely, leaving a smooth and light seed bed, enabling the new comer in the West to got a good erop from his first plow-District of Kansas Territory, are hereby notified that an election will be held at

ing—as good as can ever be raised on the soil.
The sod, stubble, clover, manure, or whatever
else lies upon the surface of the ground, is put
down so low (being in the bottom of the furrow) Sod is made as mellow as a summer fallow, and for corn, will tend with about one half the labor it would require after a single plow. Another advantage of this plow over any other is, that it will plow a deep trench furrow, and will draw easier than a single plow, run at the same depth and width, and the draft is as light with the form ward plow as without it. This Plow is manufactured from the very fine quality of German steel; it has been so altered by the subscriber that it is warranted to scour in any western soil. The first premium has been awarded this plow as being the best now in use fo all purposes, at the State Fairs in New York, Pennsylvania Ohio, Indiana, Michigan and Illinois, and at every county Fair at which it has been exhibit-1,00 ed. The following Houses on the Missouri riv-2,00 er have his Plows for sale, to whom he would

Messrs. J. W. & T. H. Ellis, Westport, Mo.; " WALLACE & DONALDSON, Lexington,"
" N. Lackland & Co., St. Charles, JNO. PAUL, Esq., St. Charles, Mo.; J. H. Lightner, Esq., St. Louis, Mo. Orders accompanied with each or good refer-

ences, will receive prompt attention.

JOHN DEERE. Moline, R. I. eo., Ill., Feb. 2, 1856.-4m

HEAD QUARTERS! Cogswell & Corbett, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS In Dry-Goods, Groceries, and Clothing

South- West Corner Public Square,

Independence, Missours.

THE undersigned would respectfully inform the public that they have taken the house and bought out the goods of Wilson & Parker. and bought out the goods of Wilson & Parker.
Our stock consists of fancy and staple Day goods and gloverles, alf of which will be sold at fair prices to eash and prompt customers. It is our intention in the spring to import from the East one of the largest stocks of Dry Goods, Clothing and Groceries ever brought to this market; and as we will buy from the first hands, and principally for eash, with the intention of doing a large Jobbing business, we will be able to sell to Country Merchants and others in the trade, at a small advance on eastern cost. Our old customers and the public generally are invited to give us a call, as we are confident that we can please them in both goods and prices.

O. H. COGSWELL, JOHN CORBETT.

We take pleasure in recommending our sne-BUTTER-Fresh, 30c. BEEF-5@8c. 2 lb. Hams-Smoked, 15c.; bacon, 13c.; prime pick-CHEESE—20c. 2 lb.
Ecos—25c. 2 doz.
SALT—Coarse, \$1 50 P bush.
SUGAR—New Orleans, 12c.; crushed, 16c.; Molasess—Sugar-house, 75c.; golden syrcp, 95c.; common, 70c.

Rioz—125/c. \$\frac{7}{2}\$ fb.

Chagners—15c. \$\frac{7}{2}\$ fb.

Codfish—10c. \$\frac{7}{2}\$ fb.

Coffee—14@185/c. \$\frac{7}{2}\$ fb.

Tha—Black, 70@80c, \$\frac{7}{2}\$ fb.; green, 30@\$1 00.

Tobacco—25@70c. \$\frac{7}{2}\$ fb.

Salebatus—10@125/c. \$\frac{7}{2}\$ fb.

Bar Soar—10@125/c. \$\frac{7}{2}\$ fb.

Coarse Boors—28/d23 50 \$\frac{7}{2}\$ pair.

We take pleasure in recommending our successors, Messrs. Cogswell & Corbett, to the public as men worthy of their confidence.

WILSON & PARKER. Independence, Mo., Feb. 2d, 1856.

James Christian,

A TTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW,
A Tawrence, Kansas Territory, will attend
promptly to all business entrusted to hiscare, in
the various Courts of the Territory. Having an
experience of some years as a lawyer in the South
and West, and being familiar with the Preemption laws, he flatters himself that he can
give entire satisfaction to all who may favor
him with their patronage in obtaining pre-emption to lands, collection of debts, and in getting

TWO NAGS, a horse and mare, broke their bridles, on the opposite side of the river from Lawrence, on Saturday night, and strayed off. Both were iron grays—the mare the larger of the two. One of them probably has a bridle on. Any parson taking up asid horses, and delivering them to far. Cutter, at Doniphan, K. T., will be liberally rowarded.

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S. C. MANSUR

No. 147 Main Street, Third Door North of the Bank or Missour

New Store and New Goods! W. & W. HUTCHINSON & CO., are W. & W. HUTCHINSON & CO., are

just opening at their new and commodious Sales Room, the largest and best selected
stock of Goods ever offered in Kansas, for wholesele and retail trade; and while they acknowledge their obligations to the public for past favors, they would respectfully invite them to notice their extensive facilities lately added, for
furnishing everything the western trade demands at one place. They have already secured
a very flattering a very flattering

WHOLESALE TRADE

with Interior towns, and can warrant their good at lower prices than can be found at any store have filled orders for country trade they have been gratified to know that better satisfaction has been given then by going to the States to purchase. It is especially in the Dry Goods de-partment that they promise great bargains, as they purchase at the Lost, and require but on moderate profit added to the original cost.

Their neighbors who wish to study economy and save their money, would do well to call and

examine their piles of PRINTS, GINGUAMS, DELAINES, BE RAGES, Cashmeres with trimmings to match, gloves and hosiery, cravats, Napoleon ties, white cambries, lawns and musiums colored cambries and silicias, jeans, cotton and woolen knitting yarn, saddler's sik, bleached cottons, drillings, denims, sheetings and flannels of all kinds.

SUGARS of all grades and prices, from 11

to 15 cents; syrup and molass a coffee, spices ground and unground, lard, fish, linseed, lard and neats-foot oil, white and red lead, turpencine and paints, window glass, nails, hardware, trockery, glass, stone, wooden and tin wares; iron, round and square at wholesale. FURNITURE AND HOUSE FURNISH-ING GOODS of all descriptions; doors, sash glazed and unglezed, carpets, mattrasses.

HATS, CAPS AND FURS of every qual-

ty and color; noors and anoss adapted to the western trads.

HARNESSES, SADDLES, ERIDLES, nartingales, saddle-bugs, horse blankets, straps many kinds, buckles, spurs.
SATTONERY, PENS, PENCILS, Sand

oxes, cards, portfolios, paper hangings, looking YANKEE NOTIONS of over a hundred varieties, to please both the old and young, with numerous other things that cannot well be de-

READY MADE CLOTHING things tedious to mention-making in all a stock

\$30,000 worth of Goods that must be sold low for Cash only.
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